

103D CONGRESS  
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## H. RES. 27

To amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to prohibit bills and joint resolutions from containing more than one subject.

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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 5, 1993

Mr. ZIMMER (for himself, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. CASTLE, and Mr. ROHRBACHER) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

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## RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved*, That rule XXI of the Rules of the House  
2 of Representatives is amended by adding at the end the  
3 following new clause—

4       “9. (a) No bill, joint resolution, or amendment to any  
5 bill or joint resolution that contains more than a single  
6 subject may be received or considered in the House. A  
7 question of order on the number of subjects in any such  
8 bill, joint resolution or amendment thereto, may be raised  
9 at any time.

1       “(b) The single subject of any bill or joint resolution  
2 shall be expressed in the title.

3       “(c) Paragraphs (a) and (b) do not apply to a bill,  
4 joint resolution, or amendment thereto that complies, con-  
5 solidates, revises, or rearranges the statutory law.”.

